## Other: Dynamic Aviation B200 T 09/02/17 Science Report

Aircraft: Other: Dynamic Aviation B200 T - 17M048

Date: Saturday, September 2, 2017

Mission Location: Kangerlussuaq, Greenland

**Mission Summary:** 

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LVIS successfully completed a flight to the Helheim/Kangerdlussuq area today. We flew the 2 grid lines closest to the coast as well as transiting to and from along transit/K-transect (though predicted cloudy) since no impact to flight time.

A stronger than forecast tail/head wind and impacts to fuel meant that we were not able to fly the short lines over Kangerdlussuaq glacier - though we have another chance to get these on a second flight to this area. Data collection along the lines was clear with LVIS and the camera operating normally. Although cloudy on the transits, the laser was able to often range to the surface meaning elevation measurements were collected en route particularly on the eastern side of the island. The transit along the K-transect was too cloudy for surface returns.

Tomorrow will be a down day and we will start ops again on Monday.

Thanks! Michelle

Submitted by: J. Bryan Blair on 10/05/17

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Related Flight Report:

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Flight Number: OIBSM17-SciF05
Payload Configuration: OIB-LVISF2017

Nav Data Collected: No Total Flight Time: 5.6 hours

Submitted by: J. Bryan Blair on 10/04/17

Flight Segments:

| From:              | BGSF                                                   | То:     | BGSF             |  |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|---------|------------------|--|
| Start:             | 09/02/17 12:40 Z                                       | Finish: | 09/02/17 18:16 Z |  |
| Flight Time:       | 5.6 hours                                              |         |                  |  |
| Log Number:        | <u>17M048</u>                                          | PI:     | Nathan Kurtz     |  |
| Funding Source:    | Bruce Tagg - NASA - SMD - ESD Airborne Science Program |         |                  |  |
| Purpose of Flight: | Science                                                |         |                  |  |

## Flight Hour Summary:

|                                | 17M048 |
|--------------------------------|--------|
| Flight Hours Approved in SOFRS | 123    |
| Total Used                     | 128.5  |
| Total Remaining                | -5.5   |

| 17M048 Flight Reports |                  |                   |          |                  |                    |                |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------------------|----------|------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Date                  | Fit #            | Purpose of Flight | Duration | Running<br>Total | Hours<br>Remaining | Miles<br>Flown |
| 08/16/17              | OIBSM17-<br>TF01 | Check             | 2.1      | 2.1              | 120.9              |                |
| 08/17/17              | OIBSM17-<br>TF02 | Check             | 4        | 6.1              | 116.9              |                |
| 08/19/17              | OIBSM17-<br>TF03 | Check             | 2.6      | 8.7              | 114.3              |                |

| 08/21/17 | OIBSM17-<br>TF04   | Check   | 2.4 | 11.1  | 111.9 |
|----------|--------------------|---------|-----|-------|-------|
| 08/21/17 | OIBSM17-<br>TF04   | Check   | 1.7 | 12.8  | 110.2 |
| 08/22/17 | OIBSM17-<br>FF01   | Ferry   | 2.2 | 15    | 108   |
| 08/22/17 | OIBSM17-<br>FF01   | Ferry   | 3.1 | 18.1  | 104.9 |
| 08/23/17 | OIBSM17-<br>FF02   | Ferry   | 4   | 22.1  | 100.9 |
| 08/24/17 | OIBSM17-<br>FF03   | Ferry   | 3.6 | 25.7  | 97.3  |
| 08/25/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF01 | Science | 5.3 | 31    | 92    |
| 08/29/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF02 | Science | 7   | 38    | 85    |
| 08/30/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF03 | Science | 5.5 | 43.5  | 79.5  |
| 09/01/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF04 | Science | 4   | 47.5  | 75.5  |
| 09/02/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF05 | Science | 5.6 | 53.1  | 69.9  |
| 09/04/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF06 | Science | 7.7 | 60.8  | 62.2  |
| 09/05/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF07 | Science | 7.3 | 68.1  | 54.9  |
| 09/06/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF08 | Science | 4.2 | 72.3  | 50.7  |
| 09/09/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF09 | Science | 6.5 | 78.8  | 44.2  |
| 09/12/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF10 | Science | 5.9 | 84.7  | 38.3  |
| 09/12/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF11 | Science | 5.1 | 89.8  | 33.2  |
| 09/13/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF12 | Science | 6   | 95.8  | 27.2  |
| 09/18/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF13 | Science | 4.4 | 100.2 | 22.8  |
| 09/19/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF14 | Science | 6.6 | 106.8 | 16.2  |
| 09/20/17 | OIBSM17-<br>SciF15 | Science | 6.5 | 113.3 | 9.7   |
| 09/21/17 | OIBSM17-<br>FF04   | Ferry   | 4.1 | 117.4 | 5.6   |
| 09/22/17 | OIBSM17-<br>FF05   | Ferry   | 4   | 121.4 | 1.6   |
| 09/22/17 | OIBSM17-<br>FF05   | Ferry   | 2.1 | 123.5 | -0.5  |
| 09/22/17 | OIBSM17-<br>FF05   | Ferry   | 1   | 124.5 | -1.5  |
| 10/05/17 | OIBSM17-<br>TF05   | Check   | 4   | 128.5 | -5.5  |

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